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SHANGHAI MUNICIPAL POLICE.

Dixwell Road 2 5 44 Station,

REPORT

Date 30th April 19 41

Subject BIRTHDAY CELEBRATIONS IN HONOUR OF H.I.M. THE EMPEROR OF JAPAN.

Made by 11 and Forwarded by Inspector J. Watson
Officer i/c.

Sir,

On 29-4-41, the local Japanese Community celebrated the birthday of H.I.M. the Emperor of Japan.

Proceedings as follows :-

1. Parade of Japanese Youths at Hongkew Park followed by a procession via N. Szechuen Road to the Hongkew District.
2. Religious services at the Shanghai Shrine Kiangwan Road.
3. Address by Mr. Horiuchi Japanese Consul General.
4. Physical exercises by Japanese school children boys and girls.
5. Athletic meeting.
6. Music by the Japanese Naval band.

The following high ranking officials attended :-

Mr. Horiuchi

Japanese Consul General.

Lieut General Sawada

Commander in Chief of the Shanghai Area.

Rear Admiral Takeda

Commander in Chief of the Special Naval Landing Party.

Rear Admiral Fujita

Japanese Naval Attache.

Mr. Fukuda

President of the Japanese Residents Corporation.

Mr. Morawa

S. M. C. Committee.

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Date 30th April 1941.

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Made by Forwarded by

Mr. Akagi

Special Deputy Commissioner S.M.P.

Mr. Kakegawa

Deputy Commissioner S.M.P.

Mr. Furuya

Assistant Commissioner S.M.P.

A number of Chinese Officials

Representatives of the local Japanese Schools, and a huge crowd of the civilian population.

The usual precautions were taken by the Japanese authorities, and S.M. Police. No untoward incident reported.

D. C. "C" Division.

A. C. (Special Branch)

D. C. (Divisions).

I am, Sir,

Yours obediently,

Inspector,
Officer i/c.

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SHANGHAI MUNICIPAL POLICE

MUNICIPAL POLICE
S. B. REGISTRY
No. S. B. D. 5747
25 APR 41

REPORT

S. 1, Special Branch. Subject. File No. ..... Date April 24, 1941.

SUBJECT: Celebrations in honour of Japanese Emperor's Birthday to be held on April 29, 1941

At 9 a.m.	A ceremony offering homage to the portrait of His Majesty the Emperor, will commence.
Between 9.30 a.m. and 10 a.m.	A ceremony offering homage to the portrait of His Majesty the Emperor, will be held at the Japanese Consulate-General.
At 10.30 a.m.	A celebration to commemorate the Emperor's Birthday will be held in Hongkew Park (Vide the attached lists).
Between 11 a.m. and 2 p.m.	An athletic meeting to celebrate the Emperor's Birthday will be held (Vide the attached lists).
At 2 p.m.	The Japanese Naval Band will give a concert at Hongkew Park. This concert will continue about an hour and a half. In case of inclement weather, the concert will be given in the Central Primary School Building.
At 6 p.m.	A banquet in celebration of the Emperor's Birthday will be held at the Japanese Club (Vide the attached lists).

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SHANGHAI MUNICIPAL POLICE 1941 SPECIAL BRANCH

Events celebrating the Emperor's Birthday

(1) **A Celebration to commemorate the Emperor's Birthday**

Time : 10.30 a.m.

Place: Hongkew Park. (In case of inclement weather, this celebration will be held at the Japanese Club prior to the holding of a banquet).

Programme: (a) Opening ceremony.

(b) Payment of a silent tribute to His Imperial Japanese Majesty by facing to the east.

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(c) Singing of the National Anthem in chorus to the accompanyment of the Japanese Commercial School Band.

(d) A congratulatory address by Mr. Horiuchi, Japanese Consul-General.

(e) Three Banzais for the Emperor (Mr. Fukuka, President of the Japanese Corporation will lead this).

(f) Closing ceremony.

(2) A Grand Athletic Meeting in celebration of the Emperor's Birthday

This athletic meeting will be held in Hongkew Park at 11 a.m. on April 29. In the morning, mass-games by students of Japanese national schools and secondary schools, athletic dances etc. will be held; in the afternoon, various sports contests will be held by the local residents.

In case of inclement weather, various contests if possible, will be held inside the buildings.

(a) Martial arts and wrestling contests to be held under the auspices of the Shanghai Branch of the Nippon Butokukai Association at Hongkew Park between 11 a.m. and 2 p.m.
The sports to be held are Jude, fencing, archery, Jukenjutsu and wrestling.

(b) Athletic meeting (the time and place of this meeting is the same as above). Participants are members of the Japanese Navy and Army and civilians.
This meeting is promoted by the Japanese Residents' Corporation.

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(3) Banquet in celebration of the Emperor's Birthday

Time :	6 p.m.
Place :	The Japanese Club on Boone Road.
Fee :	Yen 2 per person.
Attendants:	About 600 persons, comprising members of the Japanese Army and Navy and civilians.
Guests :	About 20 prominent Chinese officials of various Chinese and Manchoukuoan organs. (invitation cards will be sent to them).

In the event of inclement weather, the celebration for the Emperor's Birthday will be held without a band, prior to the commencement of the banquet.

Apart from the events to be held by the Japanese Residents' Corporation, the Japanese Young Men's Association in Shanghai will hold a procession between 8 a.m. and 8.40 a.m. on April 29. About 4,000 Japanese youths will participate in this procession.

The 4,000 Japanese youths will assemble on the base-ball ground in Hongkew Park before 8 a.m. when they will be formed into 10 companies. 10 banners of the Young Men's Association will be carried in the lead of each company. These companies will proceed along the street, taking the following

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route :- From the rear gate of Hongkew Park via North Szechuen Road, North Soochow Road and Woosung Road to the vacant ground near "Chiyo Yoko Company" (a Japanese camera shop) on Woosung Road.

The procession will be dispersed on the vacant ground at 8.40 a.m. the same day.

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T. Yonegawa
D. S.

A. C.(Special Branch).

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DATE 25 [illegible]

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April 28, 1939.

TAIRIKU SHIMPO (April 27)

ALL JAPANESE TO DISPLAY RISING SUN FLAGS ON IMPERIAL BIRTHDAY : SOLDIERS MAY PROCEED TO AREA SOUTH OF SOOCHOW CREEK IN UNIFORM

(Contributed by Tanjo Sanjin)

Japanese residents in the International Settlement and the French Concession should hoist the national flags and in front of their residences or shops on April 29, the Imperial Birthday anniversary. All Japanese, even if they reside at the North or South Pole, should celebrate the birthday anniversary of H.I.J.M. the Emperor, the father of the nation, and other national holidays by displaying the national flags. Braving the anti-Japanese terrorism, in the International Settlement and the French Concession, Japanese should observe the felicitous event by hoisting the Rising Sun flag. Unless we exalt this "Yamato Damashii" ("Japanese Spirit"), how can we carry out the China incident and create a New Order in the East Asia. Japanese should not refrain from hoisting the national flag for fear of terrorism or of criticism from anti-Japanese newspapers or fear of plots by communists.

The International Settlement is not a British colony; it belongs to Japan, Britain, America, Italy and China. Therefore, the Japanese officials, organs and nationals should display the national flag in a dignified manner. The flag of the National Government, however, should not be allowed to be displayed, because the National Government has surrendered its political and administrative rights in this area. As for the Japanese Army, the

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service-men should proceed to the foreign area south of the Soochow Creek in uniform. It is only the servicemen of a defeated nation who are not allowed to visit a district in military uniform. It is ridiculous to say that it will be dangerous for a person attired in the uniform of a military employee or of a "Kyowakai" etc. to visit the area. Japanese servicemen should walk about in the district in uniform, whether on official or private business. Should any anti-Japanese elements attempt to harm uniformed men, the Japanese authorities will occupy the place until the offenders are arrested even if only one man has been victimized and carry out thorough measures to eradicate the evil.

Should the Municipal Council request that large numbers of Japanese in uniform or Japanese kimono should refrain from visiting the area on the ground that the sight of these uniforms or dress may stir up anti-Japanese elements and give rise to unfortunate incidents, it should be rejected.

Shanghai lies within our occupied area. Japan has already blocked the Yangtse River from strategic necessity. Why does not Japan deal with the foreign areas in Shanghai in the same way? Even such a distant place as Chungking has been attacked by our air forces and it is disgraceful to our military and diplomatic authorities that guerillas of the Chungking Government should be permitted to exist under the nose of the Japanese Naval Landing Party and the Japanese Army.

On the occasion of the Imperial Birthday anniversary, Japanese servicemen should walk about in the area south of the Soochow Creek in their uniform and this policy must not be changed hereafter. Japanese

officials and residents in the area should display the national flag on that day. The dare-to-die corps will advance with the regimental colours. The Japanese officials and residents must advance bravely with the Imperial flag and die under the flag. Should any incident occur to prevent our advance, there must be counter-measures.

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Spectacular Ceremonies In Honour Of Emperor

Hongkew Park Crowded With Japanese Anxious To Demonstrate Allegiance And Affection For His Imperial Majesty; Sports Are Featured

Showing their loyalty and allegiance to Emperor Hirohito and paying their deepest respects in honour of his birthday, the Japanese public of Shanghai celebrated the occasion in fitting manner yesterday with a continuous round of activities.

At 8 o'clock, Hongkew Park was opened to the public. Buses travelling from the bridge to the park were crowded beyond capacity the whole of the day. About 9 o'clock the crowds commenced to congregate in the park and school children of every age and from every Japanese school were escorted to the main area in the park. Every man, woman and child carried rising sun flags which were seen by the thousands. The park was simply decorated with flags and not only the Japanese flags were in evidence, but streamers of flags representing every other country in the world were strung from a main pole in the centre of the park.

Fine weather favoured the Japanese celebrations which drew more throngs to the festivities than was probably expected. The Japanese Naval authorities maintained order and control and all marks of Japanese respect and courtesy were paid by the military. Every house and shop in the Hongkew district, as well as Japanese firms, banks and vessels, both foreign and Japanese, in the foreign settlement displayed the rising sun flag as a mark of respect to the Emperor of Japan.

Sports In Park

Not even the traditions of Rome's finest soldiers bred greater courage, ascerticism and self-control than is demanded to-day of the Imperial Japanese forces. Displaying this national pride in unique form, hundreds of volunteer wrestlers, fencers, and judoists, mostly from the military forces, participated in these events with amazing skill and courage. Armed with a pole that resembled a rifle, gladiators jabbed and thrust at each other with all the skill and force at their disposal. In spite of the fact that they wore marks, padded shoulder and breast pads, the contestants must, nevertheless, have felt heavily bruised after the contest. In another arena, men and boys beat each other with sticks, a game which appears to have been adopted from fencing. Heavy padding is also worn for this sport and it was interesting to watch the squealing and howling after a contestant plunged and scored a point.

Two forms of Japanese wrestling were displayed for the public with hundreds participating. One was a mat arena with boys and young men wrestling, throwing each other down and scoring points in the usual wrestling manner. In the other arena, however, the wrestlers were mostly well-grown men who wrestled on a sand bed. Two contestants would enter the ring, announce their names to one another, bow before the judges and the spectators, then, after some queer mannerisms and action with the feet, they charged at one another for the first throw. Once one of the contestants fell to the sand, the event was over. Only one throw was allowed.

Dance Of The Flags

With a flag in each hand, some 2000 school girls, all dressed in a similar costume and about the same height, performed a very graceful dance which was loudly applauded. Apparently every Japanese school girl knows how to dance, for the co-ordination and swinging by all participants in this dance was very well performed. Phonograph records furnished the music for the dance which was directed by one instructor from the grandstand. The fact that the girls formed, ran and dispersed instantly and uniformly at the command of the instructor, proved that such events must have had much previous demonstration.

A mass demonstration of gymnastics, in which every school child participated, was staged on the main part of the park at 10.30 a.m. The display of physical fitness and co-ordination in this form of exercise was performed to the tune of music, a piece which is very popular and familiar with the Japanese public.

Prior to the demonstrations, the pupils and student bodies all carrying flags, paraded round and around the field, singing and proudly displaying their different uniforms and awards for efficiency in their schools.

In the afternoon, Chinese school children paraded in the park. Very few uniforms were worn but every child had a Japanese and a five barred flag. It is believed the children were from the Chinese schools in the Hongkew district.

In addition to the celebrations in Hongkew Park there were a number of official and unofficial receptions given by the Japanese community, chief of which was the reception at the residence of Mr. [illegible] Japanese Consul-General, to [illegible] were invited including [illegible] and army officers.

In Other Centres

From Shanghai to Hankow, Japanese garrisons and communities along the 600-mile stretch of the Yangtze, marked the 38th anniversary of the birth of their sovereign.

In Nanking, a salute of 101 guns was fired, while in Hankow a vast aerial armada flew over the city, scene of a spectacular air battle a year ago when 51 Chinese machines were downed in combat. Assembled from two bases, the machines flying in formation required more than one hour to pass one designated spot.

Lieut.-General Otozo Yamada, commander in chief of the Japanese Expeditionary Force to Central China, reviewed troops in Nanking beginning at 11 o'clock in the morning.

Two hours previously, Japanese residents, led by civilian officials, held a ceremony at the Japanese Primary School in observance of the occasion.

In Kiukiang, similar ceremonies were held at the Japanese Consulate and at the Japanese Primary School, while officers and men of the fighting services attended functions at their respective headquarters.

In Kuling, famous mountain resort, a military parade was held.

In Nanchang, a brief ceremony was held in the morning, with officers and men paraded for a salute in the direction of the Imperial Palace in Tokyo. Similar abbreviated rites were held by all Japanese garrisons at the front.

An army and navy athletic meet was held in Chungshan Park in Hankow.

SHANGHAI TIMES.

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APR 29 1939

Local Japanese Celebrating Birthday Of Emperor

Broadcast, Flag-raising And Sports Programme Comprise Events For To-day; Reception For Official Guests At Consul's Residence

Opening with a broadcast of the Japanese national anthem at 7 o'clock this morning, special celebrations on the occasion of the Japanese Emperor's birthday will be held by Japanese civilians and officials in Shanghai throughout the day, the Japanese press reported yesterday.

With the broadcast of the national anthem, Japanese residents will pay a silent salute to the Tokyo Palace at homes, in their offices, or on the streets. A mass gathering will be held at the Shanghai Shrine compound, the papers stated.

Japanese officials and civilians will later gather at the Japanese Consulate-General from 9 to 9.30 o'clock in the morning to pay homage to the Imperial Portraits. Those unable to attend the ceremony at the Consulate-General will join similar services at the Japanese schools in Hongkew, the dailies said.

Sports At Hongkew

At Hongkew Park, beginning ta 10.30 o'clock in the morning, athletic contests, including wrestling, fencing, and judo events will be held until 2 o'clock in the afternoon. In the event of rain, the contest will be held in the auditorium of the Central Japanese Primary School. Simultaneously with the athletic contests, an archery meet will be held in Hongkew Park, the papers reported.

A military band will render a special musical programme, at Hongkew Park from 2 to 4 o'clock in the afternoon. In case of rain, it will be presented at the Northern Japanese Primary School, according to the Japanese press.

In addition there will be an official reception held at the residence of the Consul-General for Japan, Mr. Y. Miura, to which representatives of other nationalities have been invited.

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SHANGHAI EVENING POST & MERCURY.

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Local Nipponese Plan Festive Day

Full Program To Mark Birthday Tomorrow Of Emperor

Opening with a broadcast of the Japanese national anthem at 7 o'clock tomorrow morning special celebrations on the occasion of the Japanese Emperor's birthday will be held by Japanese civilians and officials in Shanghai throughout the day, the Japanese press reports.

With the broadcasting of the national anthem, Japanese residents will pay a silent salute to the Tokyo Palace at homes, in their offices or on the streets. A mass gathering will be held at the Shanghai Shrine compound.

Japanese officials and civilians will later gather at the Japanese Consulate General from 9 to 10 o'clock in the morning to pay homage to the Imperial Portraits. Those unable to attend the ceremony at the Consulate General will join similar services at the Japanese schools in Hongkew.

At Hongkew Park beginning at 10:30 o'clock in the morning, athletic contests including wrestling, fencing, and judo events will be held until 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

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SHANGHAI MUNICIPAL POLICE.

Section 1, Special Branch
REPORT

SHANGHAI MUN. POLICE
S. B. REGISTRY
No. S.B. D/14577
Date April 30, 1939

Date April 30, 1939

Subject. Reception at the residence of Japanese Consul-General on 29-4-39, Birthday Anniversary of the Japanese Emperor.

Made by D.S.I. Prokofiev. *Forwarded by* C. Crawford D.S

The undermentioned members of Special Branch were on observation duty in the vicinity of No.128 Seymour Road, the residence of the Japanese Consul-General, between 11.15 a.m. and 12.30 p.m. on April 29 in connection with the reception held in the premises on the occasion of Anniversary of the Birthday of the Emperor of Japan:-

D.S.I. Prokofiev
D.S. Pitts
D.S. Lockwood
J.D.S. Kamashita
D.I. Pan Lien Pih
C.D.C.355 Wang Lan Sheng

The function passed off without any untoward incident.

A. Prokofiev
D. S. I.

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D. C. (Special Branch).

"B" Divisional Office,

April 27, 1939.

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D.S. Kamashita

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D.C. Sp. Br. Information.

DEPUTY COMMISSIONER (DIVISIONS) 27 APR. 1939

Commencing from 8 a.m. Saturday, April 29, four J.P.Ss. or J.P.Cs. attached to Pootoo Road Station, four attached to Gordon Road Station and two attached to Bubbling Well Station will escort children from convenient centres to the Japanese Western Primary School, Kiaochow Road. About 300 children will assemble at the school and proceed in seven motor-buses to Hongkew Park to participate in the celebrations held in connection with the Emperor's Birthday.

Six of the ten members of the Japanese Branch of the Force referred to above will travel in the motor-buses and two motor-cycle combinations, each with a driver and a passenger will proceed in front of and at the rear of the buses.

The Police escort will remain at Hongkew Park and escort the children on their return to the school at 3 - 4 p.m.

Please make the necessary arrangements.

Divisional Officer.

D.C. (Divisions)

In addition to above, adequate precautions are being taken at, & in the vicinity of H.I.J.M. Consul-General's residence during the hours of reception, 11 a. - 1 p.m.

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SHANGHAI MUNICIPAL POLICE.

File No.

REPORT

"B" Division Station,

Date 27.4.39. 19

Subject. Request made by Principal of Japanese Western Primary School for Police to escort Pupils to Hongkew Park on Buses.

Made by. and Forwarded by. Superintendent Shibuye.

Sir,

I beg to report that Mr. Washida, the Principal of the Japanese Western Primary School, Kinochow Road, requests that Japanese Police Constables be detailed to escort the pupils of his school, about 300 in number, to attend a celebration to be held at Hongkew Park, Kiangwan Road, at about 10 a.m. on the 29.4.39. on the occasion of Japanese Emperor's Birthday.

The pupils will travel in 7 buses, starting from the above mentioned school at about 9 a.m. on that date, en route as follows:-

Kinochow Road, Hart Road, Avenue Road, Carter Road, Bubbling Well Road, Nanking Road, Szechuen Road, North Szechuen Road, Kiangwan Road.

The celebration will be completed at about 2 p.m., when the pupils will be conveyed back to the school on buses following the same route as above. They are expected to reach the school at about 2:40 p.m.

The undersigned therefore submits this report for instructions.

I am, Sir,

Your obedient servant,

Shibuye

Superintendent.

D.O."B" Division. R.W.H. 27/4

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SHANGHAI MUNICIPAL POLICE

Special Branch

REPORT

Date April 24 1939.

SHANGHAI MUNICIPAL POLICE
S. B. REGISTRY
5797

Subject (in full) Reception to be held by Japanese Consul-General on April 29, Birthday Anniversary of the Japanese Emperor.

Made by and *Forwarded by* C. D. I. Ross

In connection with the reception to be held between 11.30 a.m. and 12.30 p.m. on April 29, Anniversary of the birthday of the Emperor of Japan, the undermentioned members of Special Branch have been detailed for observation duty in the vicinity of No.128 Seymour Road, the residence of the Japanese Consul-General where the reception will be held:-

D.S.I. Prokofiev
D. S. Pitts
D. S. Lockwood
J.D.S. Kamashita
D. I. Pan Lien Pih
C.D.C.355 Wang Lan Sheng

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REPORT

File No. S. S. REGISTRY 15797

Date April 24, 1939.

Subject (in full) Reception to be held by Japanese Consul-General in celebration of the Birthday Anniversary of the Japanese Emperor, April 29.

Made by D.S. Kamashita *Forwarded by* C. Crawford. D. J

With reference to the attached file on the celebration to be held on April 29th, - Emperor of Japan's birthday - I have to state that between 11.30 a.m. and 12.30 p.m. April 29, Mr. Y. Miura, Japanese Consul-General will hold a reception at his residence, No. 128 Seymour Road, in celebration of the 38th birthday anniversary of the Japanese Emperor. A large number of prominent foreign and Japanese officials and residents are expected to attend the function.

N. Kamashita
D. S.

D.C. (Special Branch)

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SHANGHAI MUNICIPAL POLICE.

S.1. Special Branch/Station

REPORT

SHANGHAI MUNICIPAL POLICE S. C. REGISTRY
File No. No. S. B. D. 5797
Date

Date April 16, 1939.

Subject Celebration by local Japanese officials and Residents in connection with the Imperial Birthday on April 29.

Made by D.S. Kamashita Forwarded by C. Crawford D.S.

With reference to the attached translation from the "Shanghai Mainichi" by the Domei News Agency regarding the celebration of the Imperial birthday on April 29, I have to state that after a series of meetings, it was decided to hold a function in the Japanese Club, Boone Road on April 14 :-

The ceremony in celebration of 38th birthday anniversary of the Japanese Emperor is to be held jointly by Japanese officials and residents in Hongkew Park at 10.30 a.m. April 29 and is arranged as follows:-

(1) Opening speech.

(2) Singing of the National Anthem, "Kimigayo".

(3) Congratulation message by Mr. Y. Miura, Consul- General.

(4) Three cheers ~~and~~ of "Banzai."

(5) Closing speech.

The ceremony will be carried out irrespective of the condition of the weather and will be attended by prominent military, naval and consular officials and leading Japanese residents.

Between 11 a.m. and 2 p.m. a competition in Japanese military arts such as "Jujitsu," "Japanese Fencing," Bayonet Fighting and "Japanese Wrestling" will be held at Hongkew Park, by Japanese servicemen and civilians.

Between 11 a.m. and 2 p.m. an athletic meeting will be held at the park for Japanese servicemen and civilians.

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Between 11 a.m. and 2 p.m. a competition in Japanese archery will take place under the auspices of the local branch of the "Butokukai."

Music will be supplied by a Japanese naval band between 2 p.m. and 4 p.m. Should the weather be unsuitable the concert will take place in the Japanese primary school on Range Road instead of the park, at the abovementioned time.

Stalls for the sale of refreshments will be established in the park by Japanese but the selling of alcholic liquor will be prohibited.

In addition to the abovementioned functions the Daito Radio Station will broadcast the National Anthem "Kimigayo" at 7 a.m. April 29 and Japanese residents are requested to bow towards the Imperial Palace in Tokyo either at home or other suitable places.

Between 9 a.m. and 10 a.m. a ceremony of paying homage to the Imperial portrait will be held at the Japanese Consulate-General and leading Japanese officials and residents are expected to attend this ceremony.

A reception will be held by Mr. Y. Miura, Consul-General, at his residence situated at No. 128 Seymour Road on April 29, and a large number of foreign and Japanese officials and residents will be invited, but arrangements are not yet complete.

N. Kamashita
D. S.

D.C,(Special Branch)

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LOCAL NEWS AND TRANSLATION SERVICE

No. 5

EMPEROR'S BIRTHDAY
TO BE CELEBRATED

CEREMONIES TO CELEBRATE THE 38TH BIRTHDAY ANNIVERSARY OF EMPEROR HIROHITO WILL BE HELD BY THE JAPANESE COMMUNITY APRIL 29 IN ACCORDANCE WITH REGULATIONS GOVERNING THE OBSERVANCE OF THE IMPERIAL BIRTHDAY ADOPTED BY THE GOVERNMENT SOME TIME AGO, THE SHANGHAI MAINICHI SAID WEDNESDAY NIGHT.

PLANS FOR THE CEREMONIES WERE DISCUSSED AT A JOINT MEETING OF JAPANESE MILITARY, NAVAL, DIPLOMATIC AND CIVIC AUTHORITIES AT THE JAPANESE CLUB YESTERDAY.

JAPANESE RESIDENTS WILL BOW TOWARD THE IMPERIAL PALACE IN TOKYO AT 7 O'CLOCK IN THE MORNING, AT WHICH TIME A CEREMONY WILL BE HELD AT THE SHANGHAI SHRINE. VISITS WILL BE MADE TO THE JAPANESE CONSULATE-GENERAL FROM 9 TO 10 O'CLOCK TO PAY HOMAGE TO THE IMPERIAL PORTRAITS. CEREMONIES WILL BE HELD LATER IN HONGKEW PARK WHERE THE EVENTS WILL INCLUDE EXHIBITIONS OF MILITARY ARTS, SUMO MATCHES, ATHLETICS, AN ARCHERY CONTEST AND A CONCERT BY A NAVAL BAND.

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Special Branch.

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SHANGHAI MUNICIPAL POLICE.

File No. 235/38.

Hongkew Station, 5797

REPORT

Date April 29, 30 4 1938.

Subject (in full) Various Functions held at Hongkew Park in connection with the Birthday of H.I.J. Majesty.

Made by D.S.I. Watanabe. Forwarded by

Sir,

I have to report that the Japanese Emperor's birthday was celebrated at the Hongkew Park today by Japanese Nationals, both civil and military, with various programmes.

No less than 5,000 civilians and service-men and school children gathered at the grounds where numerous functions were held.

The official celebration commenced at 10.30 a.m. in which representatives of civil, military, naval and the local Japanese Community took part. Amongst the participants were also a large number of Japanese school children.

Sports, jujitsu, concert, fencing, archery, etc., were held between 11 a.m. and 2 p.m. after which the combind military and naval bands marched along N. Szechuen, Range, Chapoo, Woochang, Seward, Boone and Woosung Roads and proceeded to the Japanese Central Primary School, Range Road, where a concernt was held for the benefit of the Japanese Community.

Wrestling was also held on the grounds of the Japanese Shrine on Kiangwan Road.

The whole programme was concluded at 5.45 p.m. without any untoward incidents.

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SHANGHAI MUNICIPAL POLICE.

File No. 5797

Special Branch ~~S.I.~~ Station,

REPORT

Date April 29, 1938.

Subject (in full) Reception at the residence of the Japanese Consul-General in honour of the birthday of the Emperor of Japan.

Made by D.S. Fitts. *Forwarded by* C. Crosfor A. D. D.

Members of the Special Branch, detectives from Bubbling Well Station and uniformed details from this station, the Reserve Unit and Depot Staff kept observation duty in the vicinity of the residence of the Japanese Consul-General on Seymour Road between 12 noon and 1 p.m. April 29, 1938, when a reception was held in honour of the birthday of His Imperial Majesty the Emperor of Japan.

Some two hundred foreign guests attended (members of the Diplomatic Corps, Shanghai Municipal Council, the Press, etc., etc.).

Nothing of an untoward nature occurred during the period in question.

D. S. Fitts.

D. S.

D.C. (Special Branch).

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SHANGHAI MUNICIPAL POLICE.

File No. _____

Special Branch D. 5797 ~~Station~~

REPORT

Date April 27 1938.

Subject (in full) Celebration of the Birthday of His Majesty the Emperor of Japan on April 29, 1938.

Made by _____ and _____ Forwarded by C.D.I. Ross

The undermentioned members of the Special Branch have been detailed for observation duty at No.128 Seymour Road, the residence of the Japanese Consul-General who will give a reception between 12 noon and 1 p.m. April 29 to members of the Consular Body and prominent members of the Japanese and foreign community in celebration of the birthday of His Majesty the Emperor of Japan :-

D. S. Pitts

D. S. Rogovenko

D. S. Kamashita

S.D.H. 102 Basant Singh

S.D.C. 77 Dulla Singh

S.D.C. 528 Arjan Singh

C.D.S. 45

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SHANGHAI MUNICIPAL POLICE.

File No. 5797

Section 1, Special Branch, Shanghai.

REPORT

Date April 25, 1938.

Subject Celebration of the Birthday of His Majesty the Emperor of Japan on April 29.

Made by D.S. Kamashita Forwarded by C. Crawford D.S.

The 37th birthday of His Majesty the Emperor of Japan falls on April 29, 1938. In this connection the following celebrations have been scheduled to take place, which are sponsored by the local Japanese authorities and the Japanese community:-

8.30 a.m. to 9.30 a.m.

Ceremony to congratulate His Majesty which will be held at the Japanese Consulate-General and will be attended by members of the Consulate-General, Japanese officials and leading members of the Japanese community.

12 noon to 1 p.m.

A reception will be given by Mr. S. Hidaka, Consul-General, at his residence, No. 128 Seymour Road, to members of the Consular Body and prominent members of the Japanese and foreign community. — DC Davis - Careful police arrangements necessary

10.30 a.m. to 11 a.m.

An official ceremonial service will be held in Hongkew Park by the Japanese officials and residents. The ceremony will be presided over by Mr. S. Hidaka, Consul-General. High Japanese military and naval officers are expected to attend the ceremony.

11 a.m. to 2 p.m.

In addition to the above ceremony the following functions will be held in Hongkew Park:-

Exhibitions of Jujitsu.
" " fencing.
" " archery.
Sports meeting.

Exhibition of wrestling matches will be held in the site of the Japanese Shinto Shrine, Kiangwan Road.

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2.30 p.m. to 3.30 p.m.

Parade of combined military and naval bands along North Szechuen Road and in the Hongkew district, starting from Hongkew Park.

4.00 pm. to 6.00 p.m.

A concert will be given by the bands at the Japanese Primary School, Range Road.

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In connection with the different functions in Hongkew Park and the precautions to be adopted, a meeting was held at the Japanese Consulate by representatives from the different authorities on April 13, when it was decided to request the Municipal Police to undertake the necessary precautionary measures and regulation of traffic on the roads surrounding the park, while the Japanese consular police will undertake the duty inside the park. The Japanese Naval Landing Party and the Japanese Gendarmerie will adopt their own measures.

N. Kawashita
D. S.

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P. A. to D. C. (Sp. Br.)

Japanese Residents Corporation,

April 20, 1938.

Shanghai Municipal Police,

Foochow Road.

Re H.I.J.M. Birthday Celebration

Dear Sir,

In keeping with the traditional custom, it has been decided to hold the usual celebration in commemoration of the birthday of H.I.J.M. Emperor Hirohito under the following programme. In this connection you are requested to make the necessary arrangements for the disposition of Police officers in and around the grounds and we thank you in anticipation for your kind attention in the matter.

Programme

(1) Ceremony at Hongkew Park at 10.30 a.m. on 29.4.38. (Hours mentioned in this document are Shanghai Standard Time).

(2) Entertainments

(a) Jujitsu, fencing, archery and sports meeting. From 11 a.m. to 2 p.m.

(b) Wrestling: Between 11 a.m. and 2 p.m. at the site of the Japanese Shrine on Kiangwan Road.

(c) Joint Musical Programme

1. Route march of joint military and naval bands, from Hongkew Park to Hongkew area by way of North Szechuen Road, between 2 - 3 p.m.

2. Joint concert at the Japanese Central Primary School, Range Road, between 4 - 6 p.m.

Yours faithfully,

Sgd:- Teizo Matsunaga.

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Date 22/4/37

Friday, April 30th, 1937.

Birthday celebrations of H.I.M. Emperor of Japan.

Celebrations in connection with the birthday of His Majesty the Emperor of Japan were held in the Hongkew Park on the 29-4-37 commencing at 9.30 a.m. and continuing until 5 p.m. Throughout the day various Japanese Consular, Naval, and Military officials attended as well as members of the local Japanese community. Due to inclement weather various entertainments previously planned were somewhat curtailed.

Precautionary measures were adopted by police under Inspector i/c in the Park and vicinity and nothing of an untoward nature occurred. The D.O."C" attended.

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Officer-in-Charge.

D.C.(Spl.Branch).

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File No.

S.1, Special Branch

REPORT

Date April 30, 1937.

Subject Celebration of the Birthday of His Imperial Majesty, the Emperor of Japan

Made by D.S. Henchman Forwarded by W. Lanner DSI

In connection with the birthday of His Imperial Majesty, the Emperor of Japan, celebrations were held in Hongkew Park between the hours of 10 a.m. and 4.30 p.m. on 29th April, 1937.

Observation duty was performed by the undermentioned members of the Special Branch :-

D. S. Henchman
D.P.S. Hocking
D. S. Kamashita (1.30 p.m. - 4.30 p.m.)
S.D.C. 74
S.D.C. 674

No untoward incident occurred.

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File No.

S.1, Special Branch ~~[illegible]~~,

REPORT

Date April 30. 19 37.

Subject Birthday Celebrations of His Imperial Majesty, the Emperor of Japan - Observation duty performed by members of Special Branch

Made by D. S. Larby Forwarded by [illegible] D.S.I.

In connection with the official functions and festivities held to celebrate the birthday of His Imperial Majesty, the Emperor of Japan, observation duty was performed by the undermentioned Special Branch detectives on April 29 at the times and places mentioned hereunder :

8 a.m. - 11 a.m. Reception at the Japanese Consulate-General :

D. S. Larby
D. S. Kamashita
D. I. Pan Lien-pih

11.30 a.m. - 1 p.m. Reception given by the Japanese Consul-General at his residence, 128, Seymour Road:

D. S. Larby
D. S. Kamashita
D. I. Pan Lien-pih
C.D.S. 45
C.D.C. 49
C.D.C. 355

No untoward incident occurred during the proceedings.

D. S. Larby.
D. S.

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S.1, Special Branch

REPORT

Date April 28, 1937.

Subject Celebrations of the Birthday of His Imperial Majesty the Emperor of Japan.

Made by D.S.I. Laurier Forwarded by D. Laurier D.S.I.

In connection with the official functions and celebrations which will take place on April 29 in connection with the anniversary of the Birthday of His Imperial Majesty the Emperor of Japan on April 29: the undermentioned detectives of the Special Branch will be on observation duty at the places mentioned :-

8 a.m. - 11 a.m. Reception at the Japanese Consulate-General :

D.S. Larby
D.S. Kamashita
D.I. Pan Lien-pih

11.30 a.m. - 1.00 p.m. Reception to be given by Japanese Consul-General at his residence, 128 Seymour Road :

D.S. Larby
D.S. Kamashita
D.I. Pan Lien-pih
C.D.S. 45
C.D.C. 49
C.D.C.355

10 a.m. - 4.30 p.m. Celebrations in Hongkew Park :

D.S. Henchman
D.S. Kamashita (from 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.)
D.P.S. Hocking
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REPORT

Date April 27, 1937.

Subject Celebration of the Birthday of His Majesty the Emperor of Japan on April 29.

Made by D.S. Kamashita Forwarded by T Boyne D.S.I

The 36th birthday of His Majesty the Emperor of Japan will fall on April 29, 1937. In connection with this, the following celebrations will be held by the local Japanese Consulate-General and the Japanese community on April 29 :-

8.10 a.m. to 9.30 a.m.

A ceremony will be held at the Japanese Consulate-General, which will be attended by members of the Consulate-General and leading members of the Japanese Community.

10 a.m. to 11 a.m.

A reception at the Japanese Consulate-General will be given by Mr. N. Yoshioka, the Acting Consul-General, to the leading members of the Japanese Community, naval and military officers.

11.30 a.m. to 1 p.m.

A reception at his residence, No.128 Seymour Road, will be given by Mr. Yoshioka in honour of the members of the Consular Body and of prominent members of the Foreign and Chinese Communities.

2 p.m. to 2.30 p.m.

An official ceremonial service will be observed at the field in Hongkew Park by Japanese officials and residents. The ceremony will be presided over by Mr. N. Yoshioka, Acting Consul-General. Vice-Admiral Hasegawa, Commander-in-Chief of the Japanese Third Fleet, Rear-Admiral Honda and Major-General Kita, naval and military attaches respectively and Rear-Admiral Ohkochi, Commander of the Japanese Naval Landing Party, are also expected to attend the ceremony. These high officials will proceed by motor-car through the West gate of the Park to a platform to be erected on the East side of the

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field.

In addition to the ceremony the following functions will be observed in the park and on Kiangwan Road.

10 a.m. to 3 p.m.

An athletic meeting and mass games, etc. will be held on the field in the park.

11.30 a.m.

A geisha girls' procession will be held on Kiangwan Road. The geisha girls will first gather in the Shanghai Shrine, Kiangwan Road, and then form a procession in front of the main gate of Hongkew Park, whence they will proceed to the orchestra stand in the park by way of the West gate.

11 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Exhibition of Japanese fencing, Jujitsu and archery in the park.

12.30 p.m. to 4.30 p.m.

Japanese dances, and Japanese farces etc. will be staged in the orchestra stand in the park.

The greater part of Hongkew Park (Western and Northern Sections of the pond in the park) will be reserved for the Japanese community for the celebration of the Emperor's birthday. The Japanese who attend the celebration in the park will be admitted through the West gate only and free admission tickets will be issued by the Japanese Residents Corporation to these persons.

Precautions will be adopted in the park by the S.M.P. and the Japanese Consular Police from 9.30 a.m. to the termination of various functions. Members of the S.V.C., Japanese Company, S.M.P. Japanese Specials, Japanese Military Police,

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and the Japanese Reservist Association will assist the police. The Japanese Naval Landing Party will also maintain a section to meet any emergency.

In the event of inclement weather on April 29, the official ceremony will be held in the Japanese Public School, Range Road, while the exhibition of Fencing and Jujitsu will be held in the Japanese School, North Szechuen Road, and the dances, farces and archery in the Japanese Club, Boone Road.

N. Kamashita
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SHANGHAI MUNICIPAL POLICE
S.P. REGISTRY
File No. B. D. 5797
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Date April 30, 1936.

Subject Celebration of the Birthday of the Japanese Emperor.

Made by D.S. Sansom *Forwarded by* D. S. I. Cogan

Precautionary measures, in the form of observation and patrol, were carried out by the undermentioned persons at the Japanese Consulate-General and at 128 Seymour Road, between 8 a.m. and 2.30 p.m. on April 29, in connexion with the receptions held in honour of the birthday of the Emperor of Japan. No untoward incident occurred.

D. S. Sansom
D.P.S. MacKay
J.D.S. Kamashita
J.D.C. Suga
D.S. Tcheremshansky

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D. S.

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Special Branch ~~Station~~

REPORT

Date April 30, 1936.

Subject Anniversary of the Birthday of H.I.M. the Emperor of Japan (29 April 1936).

Made by D.S.I. Moore Forwarded by J B Ross C.D.I.

In connection with the various functions held on 29 April by the local Japanese community in celebration of the birthday of H.I.M. the Emperor of Japan, the undermentioned officers of the Special Branch carried out observation duty as follows :-

Ceremony and reception at Japanese Consulate-General.

8 a.m. to 11 a.m.

D. S. Sansom
D. S. Tcheremshansky
D.P.S. Mackay
D. S. Kamashita
D. C. Suga

Reception at the residence of the Japanese Consul-General, 128 Seymour Road.

11 a.m. to 2 p.m.

D. S. Sansom
D. S. Tcheremshansky
D.P.S. MacKay
D. S. Kamashita
D. C. Suga

Ceremony at the Japanese Primary School, Range Road.

2 p.m. to 2.30 p.m.

D.S.I. Moore
D. S. Jones
D. S. McKeown
D.P.S. Lockwood
D. C. Suga

Entertainment held at the Japanese Club, Boone Road.

10 a.m. to 7 p.m.

D.S.I.	Moore	10 a.m. to 7 p.m.
D. S.	Jones	10 a.m. to 6 p.m.
D. S.	Kourjansky	3.30 p.m. to 7 p.m.
S.D.H.	102	10 a.m. to 5 p.m.
S.D.C.	74	- do -
S.D.C.	674	- do -
D. S.	Kamashita	3.30 p.m. to 7 p.m.
D. C.	Suga	- do -

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G H Moore
D. S. I.

Officer i/c Special Branch.

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Special Branch ~~[illegible]~~

REPORT

Date ~~April 29, 1936.~~

Subject Korean Anarchists plan to create incidents on Birthday of H.I.M. the Japanese Emperor.

Made by and Forwarded by C.D.I. Ross

According to information received by the local Japanese Consulate-General, Kim Ku (金九), a well known Korean anarchist, has planned to send a number of Korean revolutionaries to create trouble and possibly carry out assassinations of important Japanese officials during the celebrations to be held on April 29, the birthday of the Japanese Emperor. It is reported that Kim Ku is at present in Chinkiang and that a meeting which discussed and decided upon the plans to create disturbances in Shanghai was held there recently. It will be remembered that Kim Ku was the person responsible for the bomb outrage which took place in the Hongkew Park on April 29, 1932.

D B Ross
C. D. I.

Officer i/c Special Branch

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REPORT

File No. D. 31137

Date April 28, 1936.

MUNICIPAL POLICE
S. B. REGISTRY
29 4 36

Subject (in full) Japanese Emperor's Birthday celebration.

Made by J.D.C.Suga Forwarded by W H Duncan DSO

The various events to be held at Hongkew Park in connection with the celebration of His Imperial Japanese Majesty's birthday on April 29 will, in the event of inclement weather, be cancelled and, instead, a ceremony will be held at 2 p.m. at the Japanese School, 86 Range Road.

The amusements will take place from 11 a.m. at the Japanese Club, Boone Road. Stalls for the sale of refreshments will be erected in the club.

K. Suga
J.D.C.

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Officer i/c.Special Branch.

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File No. D. 5797
C.I.D. REGISTRY
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Bubbling Well Station,
Date April 24th., 1936.

Subject Attached.

Made by XXXX and Forwarded by Inspector Clissold.

Sir,

The attached, placed on my desk by J.P.S.58, is forwarded for information and instructions,

D. O. "B".

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
B Clissold
Officer in charge.

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C. of B.W.

Arrange an escort please & return the file.

Rd Clarke,
D.O. 25/4

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Rd Clarke, D.O. 27/4

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April 24th, 1936.

To Officer i/c.,

Sir,

I beg to report that in a letter received from the School Master of the Japanese Western Primary School, No.601 Kiaochow Road, informing us to the effect that for the purpose of participating in a Mass Game which scheduled to be held in celebration of H.I.Japanese Majesty's birth day on April 29, 1936 at the Hongkew Park, The children over the 4th year-class about 200 in number, lead by teachers, of the School, will leave the School at 10.30 a.m. and walk down along Kiaocho, Sinza and Hart Roads to a corner of Avenue and Hart Roads where they will board on trams, reserved for them, for The Park at 11 a.m.

After ~~overed several occasions~~ games are completed they will be dismissed in the Park.

The police arrangement for traffic requested by the school concerned.

I am,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,

.....S.Hirosumisa.....
J.P.S. No. 58.

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REPORT

Special Branch 29 April 36

Date April 28, 36.

SHANGHAI MUNICIPAL POLICE
File No. LC. 5797
C. D. D.

Subject Anniversary of the Birthday of H.I.M. the Emperor of Japan (29 April 1936)

Made by and *Forwarded by* C.D.I. Ross

In connection with the various functions to be held on 29 April by the local Japanese community in celebration of the birthday of H.I.M. the Emperor of Japan, the undermentioned officers of the Special Branch will carry out observation duty as follows :-

Ceremony and reception at Japanese Consulate-General.

8 a.m. to 11 a.m.

D. S. Sansom
D. S. Tcheremshansky
D.P.S. MacKay
D. S. Kamashita
D. C. Suga

Reception at the residence of the Japanese Consul-General. 128 Seymour Road.

11 a.m. to 12.30 p.m.

D. S. Sansom
D. S. Tcheremshansky
D.P.S. MacKay
D. S. Kamashita
D. C. Suga

Ceremony at the Japanese Primary School, Range Road.

2 p.m. to 3 p.m.

D.S.I. Moore
D. S. Jones
D. S. McKeown
D.P.S. Lockwood
D. C. Suga

Entertainment to be held at the Japanese Club, Boone Road.

10 a.m. onwards.

D.S.I. Moore
D. S. Jones
D. S. Kourjansky
S.D.H. 102
S.D.C. 74
S.D.C. 674

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C. D. I.

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REPORT

File No. MUNICIPAL POLICE
C. B. REGISTRY
B. D. 5797
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Date April 27. 1936.

Subject Japanese Emperor's Birthday Celebration - Meeting of Order Maintenance and Protection Committees.

Made by J.D.C. Suga Forwarded by W. H. Duncan D.S.S.

Between 4 p.m. and 6 p.m. on April 23, some 20 members of the order maintenance and protection committees, which have been formed in connection with the celebration of His Imperial Japanese Majesty's birthday on April 29, held a meeting at the office of the Japanese Residents' Corporation, Quinsan Road. Mr. Fukuyama, Chief of the First Section of the Japanese Consular Police Department, presided over the function, during which the following matters were decided :-

1. That the precautionary measures and the maintenance of order in and around that part of Hongkew Park which is to be used for the celebration be undertaken jointly by the S.M.P., S.M.P. (Specials, Japanese), the Japanese Consular Police, the Japanese Ex-service Men's Association, the Japanese Company of the S.V.C., the Japanese Military Police, and the Japanese Boy Scouts, from 10 a.m. until the termination of the various functions.
2. That 30 of the Japanese Ex-Service Men's Association, 20 of the Japanese Company of S.V.C., 20 of the S.M.P. (Specials), 20 of the Japanese Boy Scouts, 45 of the Japanese Consular Police, and 4 of the Japanese Military Police be detailed to Hongkew Park. The S.M.P. will detail such men as they consider necessary.
3. That the regulation of traffic be left to the Municipal Police.
4. That all the Japanese visitors attending the celebration be admitted through the west gate only, and they should produce free admission tickets to the park, issued by the Japanese Residents' Corporation. This, however, will

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not interfere with members of the general public who wish to visit the disengaged section of the Park from entering by the Main Gate.

5. That the visitors' vehicles be allowed to park on Kiangwan Road north of the west gate.

6. That no restriction be made concerning the carrying of personal belongings by visitors into the park.

7. That high officials who attend the ceremony, to be held between 1.50 p.m. and 2.30 p.m., will enter through the main gate and proceed to the platform erected between the running track and the west bank of the pond near the rifle range.

8. That strict protection be provided to those high officials attending the ceremony, in view of the fact that no restriction is being made as to the carrying of personal belongings by visitors.

9. That no Chinese except those who will be accompanied by Japanese be allowed to enter the reserved part of the Park.

The Japanese Naval Landing Party will also take adequate measures in and around the park, at their discretion, for the same purpose.

The following events will be held in Hongkew Park :-

10.20 a.m. to 3 p.m.	Athletic meeting.
12 noon to 4 p.m.	Japanese dances, Japanese farce, etc.
12.30 p.m. to 3 p.m.	Fencing, bayonet fighting and jujitsu.

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1.50 p.m. to 2.30 p.m. Celebration ceremony.

Some 30 stalls will be erected in the park for the sale of refreshments.

Attached is a complete programme of the various functions to be held on the occasion.

K. Shiga
J. D. C.

Officer i/c Special Branch.

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DEPUTY COMMISSIONER
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Programme of various functions to be held on April 29, 1936, anniversary of the birthday of H.I.M. the Japanese Emperor

Ceremony and reception at the local Japanese Consulate-General

9 a.m. to 10 a.m. — A ceremony will be held at the local Japanese Consulate-General, which will be attended by Japanese consular officials and the Japanese public.

10 a.m. to 11 a.m. — A reception will be given by Mr. Ishii, Consul-General, to leading members of the Japanese community as well as naval and military officers. In order to avoid congestion, persons arriving in motor cars will be requested to approach the Consular gate by way of Minghong, North Yangtsze and Woochang Roads. On arriving, the cars will be requested to leave the gate immediately and, passing through Woochang, Whangpoo, Minghong Roads, to park along North Yangtsze Road.

Reception at the residence of the Consul-General

11.30 a.m. to 12.30 p.m. — A reception will be given by Mr. Ishii, Consul-General, at his residence, No.128 Seymour Road, in honour of members of the Diplomatic and Consular Bodies and leading members of the foreign, Chinese and Japanese communities.

Ceremony to be held at Hongkew Park

1.50 p.m. to 2.30 p.m. — An official ceremonial service will be observed jointly by Japanese officials and residents at Hongkew Park. Mr. Ishii, Consul-General, will preside over the function.

Events to be held in Hongkew Park

10.20 a.m. to 3 p.m. — An athletic meeting will be held in the Park.

12 noon to 4 p.m. — Japanese dances, Japanese farce, etc., will be staged on the orchestra stand in the Park.

12.30 p.m. to 3 p.m. — Exhibition of fencing, bayonet fighting and jujitsu.

As a large number of the Japanese community are expected to attend, the Japanese Residents' Corporation has prepared some 20,000 free admission tickets to the park, to be issued to Japanese.

In case of inclement weather the events to be held in the Park will be cancelled, and instead a reception will be given in the Japanese Club, Boone Road, at 7 p.m. on the same day, while the ceremony to be held in the Park will be held at the Japanese School, Range Road, at 2 p.m.

Japanese Emperor's Bi-

Order Maintenance and Protecti-

Between 4 p.m. and 6 p.m. on April 23, some members of the order maintenance and protection committees, which have been formed in connection with the celebration of His Imperial Japanese Majesty's birthday on April 29, held a meeting at the office of the Japanese Residents' Corporation, Quinsan Road. Mr. Nakayama, Chief of the First Section of the Japanese Consular Police Department, presided over the function, during which the following matters were decided :-

1. That the precautionary measures and the maintenance of order in and around that part of Hongkew Park which is to be used for the celebration be undertaken jointly by the S.M.P., S.M.P. (Specials Japanese), the Japanese Consular Police, the Japanese Ex-service Men's Association, the Japanese Company of the S.V.C., the Japanese Military Police, and the Japanese Boy Scouts, from 10 a.m. until the termination of the various functions.
2. That 30 of the Japanese Ex-Service Men's Association, 20 of the Japanese Company of S.V.C., 20 of the S.M.P. (Specials), 20 of the Japanese Boy Scouts, 45 of the Japanese Consular Police, and 4 of the Japanese Military Police be detailed to Hongkew Park. The S.M.P. will detail such men as they consider necessary.
3. That the regulation of traffic be left to the Municipal Police.
4. That all the functions without exception the refreshments be served through the side gate only, and they should produce their authorisation cards to the guards, groups by the Japanese Residents' Corporation. This, however, will

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REPORT

Date April 17, 1936.

Subject Japanese Emperor's Birthday Celebration - Meeting of Preparatory Committee.

Made by J.D.C.Suga Forwarded by W Duncan DSP

Between 1 p.m. and 3 p.m. April 16, some 100 members of the preparatory committee for the celebration of the Japanese Emperor's Birthday on April 29, held a meeting at the Japanese Club, Boone Road, to consider and decide on the plans to be adopted on the occasion.

It was decided that the celebration be held on a grander scale than hitherto and that both the amusement, which indludes athletics, fencing, Jujitsu, Japanese dancing, music, etc., and the celebration ceremony, which, since the Shanghai incident in 1932 has been held at the Japanese School, Range Road, will, owing to the situation being more peaceful, be held in the Hongkew Park as on former occasions.

A detailed programme will be drawn up later by the Japanese Residents' Corporation, when an official request will be made to the Municipal Police to adopt precautionary measures.

A protection committee consisting of Japanese members of the Municipal Police, the Japanese Consular Police, the Japanese Naval Landing Party, Japanese Company, S.V.C., the Japanese Military Police and the Japanese Boy Scouts, will shortly hold a meeting to devise ways and means of providing adequate protection.

J. Further report in due course JR

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DEPUTY COMMISSIONER (DIVISIONS)

J.D.C. Suga

DC (Div)

Information. Report on programme will be forwarded in due course.

Officer i/c, Special Branch.

J.H.C. Robertson
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REPORT

SHANGHAI MUNICIPAL POLICE
S. B. REGISTRY.
File No. 5797
Date 30/1/35

Date April 30, 1935

Subject Anniversary of the birthday of H.I.M. the Japanese Emperor.

Made by D.S.I. Coyne. *Forwarded by* B.B. Everett - D.D.

I have to report that on April 29, 1935, approximately 20,000 persons attended the events held in Hongkew Park in celebration of the birthday of H.I.M. the Emperor of Japan.

No untoward incident occurred and by 5.30 p.m. the crowd had dispersed.

The under-mentioned personnel of the Special Branch were on duty at Hongkew Park between 10.0 a.m. and 5.0 p.m.:-

D.S.I. Coyne; D.S. Tcheremshansky; D.S. Lockwood; S.D.H.102; S.D.C. 138; S.D.C. 674.

Report forwarded from S.I. covering all duties performed by members of Special Branch on Ap 29

T Coyne
D. S. I.

Deputy Commissioner (Special Branch)

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Date April 30, 1935.

Subject Anniversary of the birthday of H.I.M. the Japanese Emperor.

Made by D.S.I. Duncan Forwarded by H. Grubb C.S.I.

In connection with the various functions held on April 29 by local Japanese in celebration of the birthday of H.I.M. the Japanese Emperor, the following officers from the Special Branch carried out observation duty as under :

Ceremony and reception at Japanese Consulate General
8.30 a.m. to 11 a.m.

D.S.I. Duncan
D. S. Makaroff
D. S. Lingard
D. S. Umemoto

Reception at the residence of the Japanese Consul-General, 128 Seymour Road - 11.30 a.m. to 1.30 p.m.

D.S.I. Duncan
D. S. Makaroff
D. S. Lingard
D. S. Umemoto

Ceremony at the Japanese Primary School, Range Road
1 p.m. to 2 p.m.

D. S. McKeown
D.P.S. Duke
S.D.C. 77

"At Home" on board the cruiser "Iwate", berthed at N.Y.K. Wayside Wharf - 2.15 p.m. to 4.30 p.m.

D. S. McKeown
D.P.S. Duke
D. S. Umemoto
S.D.C. 77

Events held in Hongkew Park
9.45 a.m. to 5.15 p.m.

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D.S.I. Coyne

D. S. Tcheremshansky

D.P.S. Lockwood

D. S. Kamashita

S.D.H. 102

S.D.C. 138

S.D.C. 674

No untoward incident occurred.

W Duncan

D. S. I.

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SHANGHAI MUNICIPAL POLICE.

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Dixwell Road. Station.

REPORT

Date April 29. 1935.

Subject Anniversary of the Birthday of H.I.M., the Emperor of Japan.

Made by D.S.I. McPhee. Forwarded by Insp. [illegible]

Sir,

Between 10.A.M. and 5.P.M. 29/4/35, an Athletic meeting was held in the Hongkew Park by local Japanese in celebration of the birthday of H.I.M. the Emperor of Japan.

Approximately 15,000, local Japanese visited Hongkew Park between the above mentioned times.

Mr. Ishii, Japanese Consul-General, visited Hongkew Park at about 2.30.P.M. and left at about 3.P.M.

Uniform Police and Detectives attached to this Station, together with Detectives from the Special Branch and Hongkew Station, and Japanese details from Uniform Branch attached to Kashing Road Station, officiated under the supervision of Officer i/c Dixwell Road Station, in conjuction with 40 members of the Japanese Consular Police, 20 Japanese ex-soldiers, and 15 members of the Japanese detachment S.V.C.

D.D.O."C" Div. visited Hongkew Park on two occasions during the celebration.

The celebration passed off quietly and no untoward incidents occurred.

I am, Sir,

Yours obediently

John McPhee

D.S.I.

D.D.O."C"Div.

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April 29, 1935.

Labour (5)

Zuan Hwa Hosiery Factory - Unrest among workers

Unrest now exists among the workers of the Zuan Hwa (瑞華) Hosiery Factory, 120 Mih Teoh Ka, Nantao, who are opposing an announcement of the management that, owing to trade depression, a reduction of $0.07 would be made from their pay, which ranges from $0.27 to $0.38 per dozen pairs of stockings made.

These workers have solicited the assistance of the 1st District Knitting Factory Workers' Union, 25 Sien Mien Sz Loong, City.

International Labour Day

Some 250 members of the Chinese Y.W.C.A. held a meeting in their office at 55 Yuen Min Yuen Road, at 2 p.m. April 28 in connection with the commemoration of International Labour Day, which falls on May 1, 1935. Speeches bearing on the occasion were made by several persons and musical entertainment was provided. The function terminated at 6 p.m.

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Japanese Industrial Concerns - Celebration of the Birthday of H.I.M. the Japanese Emperor

In celebration of the Birthday of H.I.M. Japanese Emperor, some 44,000 employees of local Japanese industrial concerns have been granted a holiday to-day, April 29.

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No. 5707
Date 26/4/35

Special Branch.
April 26, 1935.

Anniversary of the birthday of H.I.M. the Japanese Emperor.

In connection with the various functions to be held on April 29, by local Japanese in celebration of the birthday of H.I.M. the Japanese Emperor, the following officers from the Special Branch will carry out observation duty as under :-

Ceremony and receptions at the local Japanese Consulate from 8.30 a.m. to 11 a.m. Reception at the residence of the Japanese Consul-General, 128 Seymour Road, from 11.30 a.m. to 12.30 p.m.

D.S.I. Duncan
D.S. Lingard
D.S. Makaroff
D.S. Umemoto

Events to be held in Hongkew Park between 10 a.m. and 5 p.m.

D.S.I. Coyne
D.S. Tcheremshansky
D.P.S. Lockwood
D.S. Kamashita
S.D.H. 102
S.D.C. 138
S.D.C. 674

Official ceremony to be held at the Japanese Primary School, Range Road at 1.30 p.m. "At Home" between 2 p.m. and 4 p.m. on board the cruiser "Iwate," berthed at Wayside Wharf.

D.S. McKeown
D.P.S. Duke
D.S. Umemoto
S.D.C. 77

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D. C. (Special Branch)

Programme of various functions to be held on April 29, anniversary of the birthday of H.I.M. the Japanese Emperor

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Ceremony and reception at the local Japanese Consulate-General

8.30 a.m. to 10.00 a.m. A ceremony will be held at the local Japanese Consulate-General, which will be attended by Japanese Consular officials and the Japanese public.

10.00 a.m. to 11.00 a.m. A reception will be given by Mr. Ishii, Consul-General, to leading members of the Japanese community as well as naval and military officers.

Reception at the residence of the Consul-General

11.30 a.m. to 12.30 p.m. A reception will be given by Mr. Ishii, Consul-General, at his residence, No.128 Seymour Road, in honour of members of the Diplomatic and Consular Bodies and leading members of the foreign, Chinese and Japanese community.

Official ceremony to be held at the Japanese Central Primary School, Range Road

1.30 p.m. An official ceremonial service will be observed jointly by the Japanese officials and residents in the compound of the Japanese Central Primary School, Range Road. Mr. Ishii, Consul-General, will preside over the function. Japanese notables and prominent residents as well as representatives of various public bodies will attend. The ceremony will last about 15 minutes.

"At Home" on board the cruiser "Iwate", berthed at the O.S.K. Wharf, Yangtszepoo Road

2.00 p.m. to 4.00 p.m. An "At Home" will be held on board the cruiser "Iwate" by Vice-Admiral Mayhutaka, Commander-in-Chief of the Third Fleet. The cruiser will berth at the O.S.K. Wharf, Yangtszepoo Road. Invitations have been sent out to a large number of Japanese officials and residents.

Events to be held in Hongkew Park

10 a.m. to 5 p.m. An athletic meeting will be held in the park.

1 p.m. to 4 p.m. Japanese dances will be performed on the orchestra stand in the park.

2 p.m. to 4 p.m. Exhibition of fencing, bayonet fighting and jujitsu.

As a large number of the Japanese community are expected to attend, the Japanese Residents' Corporation has prepared some 20,000 free admission tickets to the park to be issued to Japanese.

In case of inclement weather the events to be held in the park will be cancelled, and instead a reception will be held in the Japanese Club, Boone Road, at 7 p.m. on the same day.

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SHANGHAI MUNICIPAL POLICE.

S. 1, Special Branch Station,

REPORT

Date April 25, 1935

Subject Japanese Emperor's birthday celebrations - Meeting of Order Maintenance and Protection Committees.

Made by D. S. Umemoto. Forwarded by H. Grubb C.S.I.

Between 1.00 p.m. and 3.00 p.m. April 24, some 15 members of the Order Maintenance and Protection Committees, which have been formed in connection with the celebration of His Imperial Japanese Majesty's birthday on April 29, held a meeting at the office of the Japanese Residents' Corporation, Quinsan Road. Mr. Fukuyama, Chief of the First Section of the Japanese Consular Police Department, presided over the function.

It was decided that the Municipal Police be requested to adopt precautionary measures outside the compound of the Japanese Central Primary School, Range Road, where an official ceremonial service will be held by the Japanese community at 1.30 p.m. April 29. The maintenance of order inside the compound will be undertaken by the local Japanese Consular Police in conjunction with members of the Ex-Service Men's Association, the Japanese Military Police and the Japanese Boy Scouts. The Japanese Naval Landing Party; the Japanese Co. S.V.C.; and the S.M.P. Specials (Japanese) will also detail a number of men to assist in maintaining order.

The regulation of traffic will be left to the Municipal Police. In order to avoid conjestion, persons arriving in motor-cars will be advised to enter Range Road from Woosung Road and park their vehicles on Fearon Road. It will be requested that only a limited number of vehicles belonging to notables be permitted to park along the south side of Range Road near the school.

Precautions will be adopted from 12.30 p.m. until the termination of the ceremony which will last about 15 minutes.

Regarding persons attending the ceremony, the following

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decisions were reached:-

1) Visitors shall produce their name cards or sign their names before entering.

2) Foreign reporters who wish to attend shall obtain a permit which will be issued by the Press Union upon application.

3) No Chinese shall be permitted to enter except on business.

4) Photographers shall be required to wear badges which will be issued by the Japanese Residents' Corporation upon application.

5) No persons carrying cameras or parcels shall be permitted to enter.

The programme of the ceremony will be as follows:-

1) Reading of congratulatory message by Mr. Ishii, local Consul-General, who is the Chairman of the Celebration Committee.

2) Singing of "Kimigayo" - the National Anthem.

3) Three cheers for the Emperor.

The following public bodies will send their representatives to the function:-

The Japanese Residents' Corporation.

The Japanese Ex-Service Men's Association.

The Japanese Co. S.V.C.

The Japanese Street Unions.

Various Japanese institutions and ladies' organizations.

Individual visitors will be admitted to the enclosure reserved for the public.

The following notables will attend:-

Vice-Admiral Hyakutake, Commander-in-Chief of the Third Fleet.

Rear-Admiral Araki, Commander of the Japanese Naval Landing Party.

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Rear-Admiral Sato, Japanese Naval Attache.
Major-General Isogai, Japanese Military Attache.
Mr. Yokotake, Japanese Commercial Counsellor.

The events to be held in the Hongkew Park will commence at 10 a.m. and will last until 5 p.m. Permission for the use of a large portion of the park exclusively by the Japanese community has already been obtained by the Japanese Residents' Corporation from the Shanghai Municipal Council. For this purpose the Corporation will prepare some 20,000 free admission tickets for Japanese visitors. The entrance to the park will be by the rear gate near the Open Air Swimming Pool.

Regarding precautionary measures to be adopted in the park, it was decided that the Municipal Police be requested to undertake necessary precautions. The Consular Police, the Japanese Co. S.V.C. and the Ex-Service Men's Association will detail a number of men to co-operate with the Municipal Police in maintaining order in the park.

The following events will be held:-

10 a.m. to 5 p.m.	Athletic meeting.
1 p.m. to 4 p.m.	Japanese dances.
2 p.m. to 4 p.m.	Fencing, bayonet fighting and jujitsu.

Some 40 stalls will be erected in the park for the sale of refreshments.

Attached is a complete programme of the various functions to be held on that day.

M Umemoto.
D. S.

Deputy Commissioner, Special Branch.

arrangements are being made for members of the Special Branch to be in attendance
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Information.
D.C. (Parks) and D.O. concerned will be given notice in good time of names of men from Sp. Br. who can be spared for each function.
F. Evans
D. (Sp. Br.)

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April 25, 1936.

Morning translation.

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THE JAPANESE EMPEROR'S BIRTHDAY: GUARDING ARRANGEMENTS

In connection with the celebration of the Japanese Emperor's birthday to be held on April 29, it has been decided that the Japanese Consular Police, the S.M.P. the Japanese members of the S.V.C., the Japanese Ex-Servicemen's Association, the Japanese members of the Special Police, the Japanese Youth Corps and the local Japanese Military Police will co-operate in guarding the celebration at Hongkew Park while the Japanese Lanidng Party will maintain guard independently.

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April 20, 1935. Morning translation.

S.M.C. PERMITS JAPANESE TO CELEBRATE EMPEROR'S BIRTHDAY IN HONGKEW PARK

The Japanese Residents Corporation has received formal permission from the S.M.C. regarding the use of Hongkew Park on April 29 to celebrate Emperor's birthday.

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Date April 15, 1935.

Subject Japanese Emperor's Birthday Celebrations - Meeting of Preparatory Committee.

Made by D. S. Umemoto. Forwarded by H. Grubb C.S.I.

Between 1 p.m. and 3 p.m. April 13, some 22 members of the preparatory committee for the celebration of the Japanese Emperor's birthday on April 29, held a meeting at the Japanese Club, Boone Road, to consider a request submitted by the Japanese Industrial Association, that the event be celebrated on a grander scale than hitherto.

The proposal was supported by the majority of the members and it was decided that preparations would be made to hold the celebration in the Hongkew Park during the afternoon of April 29, following the official part of the ceremony, which will be held in the compound of the Japanese Central Primary School, Range Road, at 1 p.m. on the same day.

A programme will be drawn up later by the Japanese Residents' Corporation, when an official request will be made to the Municipal Police to adopt precautionary measures. The Protection Committee consisting of Japanese members of the Municipal Police: the Japanese Consular Police: the Japanese Naval Landing Party: Japanese Company, S.V.C.: the Japanese Ex-Service Men's Association: the Japanese Military Police and the Japanese Boy Scouts, will shortly hold a meeting to devise ways and means of providing adequate protection.

The local Japanese Consular Authorities and the Japanese Third Fleet will celebrate the occasion independently.

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D. S. Umemoto.

Deputy Commissioner, Special Branch.

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REPORT

SHANGHAI MUNICIPAL POLICE
C. & S. B. REGISTRY.
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Date April 30, 1934

Date

Subject (in full) Anniversary of the Birthday of H.I.J. Majesty.

Made by and Forwarded by D.S. Sansom.

In connection with the above mentioned anniversary, I have to report that members of the Special Branch kept observation at the former Tsukinoya Garden, Dixwell Road and at the Japanese Primary School, Range Road, where functions were held, and that no untoward incident occurred. The Naval Landing Party parade was cancelled on account of the inclement weather.

D. S. Sansom.

D. S.

Officer i/c Special Branch.

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April 28, 34.

Anniversary of the Birthday of H.I.J. Majesty.

// and D. S. I. Duncan.

In connection with the various functions to be held on April 29 by local Japanese in celebration of the anniversary of the birthday of H.I.J. Majesty, the following officers from the Special Branch will carry out observation duty as under:-

Ceremony and reception at the local Japanese Consulate from 8.30 a.m. to 11 a.m. Reception at the residence of the Japanese Consul-General, 128 Seymour Road, from 11.30 a.m. to 12.30 p.m. Reception at Japanese Club, Boone Road from 7 p.m. to 8 p.m.

W.H.T. Moore

D. S. Mac Adie

D. T. Itoh

D. S. Uyemoto

Functions to be held at Hongkew Park, former Tsukinoyn Garden, Hinnell Road, and Japanese Primary School, 6 Range Road from 10 a.m. until conclusion of the functions

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D. S. Sansom

D. T. Jones

D. S. Makaroff

S.P.H. 102

H.A.C. 74

I.P.C. 678

D. S. I.

Officer i/c Special Branch.

Celebration in the compound of the Japanese Central Primary School

1.30 p.m. An official celebration by the local Japanese community will be held in the compound of the Japanese Central Primary School, Range Road. Mr. Sugihara, Acting Consul-General, will preside over the function. Mr. Yasui, Chairman of the Administrative Board of the Japanese Residents Corporation, has been appointed Chairman of the Celebration Committee. The function will last about 15 minutes.

Functions to be held at Hongkew Park

10.45 a.m. Some 1,500 officers and men of the Japanese Naval Landing Party will participate in a parade which will be reviewed by Admiral Imamura, Commander-in-Chief of the Third Fleet. The participants will assemble at the park by 9.30 a.m. The function will last until about 11.15 a.m.

During the afternoon A bicycle race will be held in Hongkew Park under the auspices of Japanese bicycle merchants with the support of the "Shanghai Nippo".

Celebration at the former Tsukinoya Garden, Dixwell Rd.

11.00 a.m. to 5.00 p.m. An athletic meeting will be held at the former Tsukinoya Garden, Dixwell Road, by the local Japanese Amalgamated Association of Street Unions.

Reception at the Japanese Club, Boone Road

7.00 p.m. A reception will be held by some 400 members of the Japanese community at the Japanese Club, Boone Road. The proceedings will last about one hour.

Programme of various functions to be held on April 29, anniversary of H.I.M. the Japanese Emperor's birthday

Ceremony at various Japanese schools

9.00 a.m. A ceremonial service will be held by students at the following Japanese schools :-

The Japanese Commercial School, Pingliang Road.
The Eastern Primary School, Pingliang Road.
The Girls' High School, Scott Road.
The Northern Primary School, North Szechuen Road.
The Central Primary School, Range Road.
The Western Primary School, Kiaochow Road.

The proceedings will last about 40 minutes.

9.40 a.m. A ceremony will be observed by Japanese residents in the eastern and western districts at the Eastern and Western Primary Schools. This will be followed by an athletic meeting which will be carried out in the school compounds. The function will last until about noon.

Ceremony and reception at the local Japanese Consulate-General

8.30 a.m. to 10.00 a.m. A ceremony will be solemnized at the local Japanese Consulate-General, which will be attended by the Consular Officials and a large number of Japanese residents.

10.00 a.m. to 11.00 a.m. A reception will be given by Mr. Sugihara, acting Consul-General, to leading members of the Japanese community.

Reception at the residence of the Consul-General

11.30 a.m. to 12.30 p.m. A reception will be given by Mr. Sugihara, acting Consul-General, at the residence of the Consul-General, No.128 Seymour Road, in honour of members of the Diplomatic and Consular Bodies and leading members of the foreign and Japanese community as well as certain Chinese officials.

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Subject (in full) Birthday Anniversary of H.I.J. Majesty.

Made by D.S.I. Moore *Forwarded by* W Duncan DSI

In connection with the birthday Anniversary of H.I.J. Majesty, the various celebrations listed in report on file dated April 25, 1934, were held on April 29, with the exception of the parade of the Japanese Naval Landing Party in Hongkew Park which was cancelled owing to inclement weather.

Officers of the Special Branch carried out observation duty at the various functions (as per report dated April 25). Nothing of an untoward nature occurred during the festivities.

D. S. I.

Officer i/c Special Branch.

Comm
Sir
Information.
All passed off quietly
Thos Robertson
Supt

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SHANGHAI MUNICIPAL POLICE.

REPORT

SHANGHAI MUNICIPAL POLICE
C. & S. B. REGISTRY
No. 52272

File No. 26/34

No. D Dixwell Road Station,
Date April 28, 1934

Subject (in full) Parade rehersal held by Japanese Naval Landing Party on Kiangwan Road.

Made by D.S.I. White *Forwarded by* Insp. E A Ewa

Sir,

Between 10 a.m. and 11 a.m. the 28-4-34, the Japanese Naval Landing Party held a parade rehersal in preparation for main parade to be held on the 29-4-34 in commemeration of the Emperor of Japan's birthday anniversary.

Municipal Police of Dixwell Road Station, together with four Japanese detectives from Hongkew Station, functioned under the supervision of Officer i/c District.

No untoward incident occurred.

R J White
D. S. I.

D. D. O. "C".

Officer i/c Special Branch.

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SHANGHAI MUNICIPAL POLICE.

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REPORT

SHANGHAI MUNICIPAL POLICE
C. & S. B. REGISTRY.
File No. 5797
Date 28 / 4 / 1934

No. D

Date April 28 1934.

Subject (in full) Rehearsal parade of the Japanese Naval Landing Party to be held on Kiangwan Road on April 28.

Made by D. S. Umemoto. *Forwarded by* J B Rus S.I.

The rehearsal parade which was to have been held by the local Japanese Naval Landing Party on April 27 in Hongkew Park has been postponed, owing to inclement weather, to 10.00 a.m. April 28 on Kiangwan Road instead of at the Hongkew Park. The proceedings will last about one hour.

D. S. Umemoto.
D. S.

Officer i/c Special Branch.

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SHANGHAI MUNICIPAL POLICE.

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REPORT

SHANGHAI MUNICIPAL POLICE
C. I. S. REGISTRY.
No. D 5777
Date 1 34

Date April 25, 1934.

Subject (in full) Ceremony to be held in the Japanese Central Primary School compound, Range Road, on April 29.

Made by D. S. Umemoto. *Forwarded by* D B Rn D.S.

Between 1.20 p.m. and 3.15 p.m. April 25, the Order Maintenance and Policing Committees which have been formed in connection with the celebration of the birthday anniversary of H.I.M. the Emperor of Japan to be held in the compound of the Japanese Central Primary School, Range Road, on April 29, held a final meeting at the Japanese Club to discuss plans to be adopted by various parties who are to police the grounds and vicinity.

It was decided that the Municipal Police be requested to adopt special precautionary measures outside the compound and to regulate the traffic. The maintenance of order inside the compound will be undertaken by the local Japanese Consular Police in conjunction with members of the Ex-Service Men's Association, Boy Scouts and men specially appointed for this purpose.

The Japanese Naval Landing Party, the Japanese Gendarmerie, the Japanese Company, S.V.C., and the Japanese Special Police will also be detailed to assist in maintaining order.

The programme of the ceremony will be as follows:-

1) Reading of congratulatory message by Mr. Sugihara, Acting Consul-General.

2) Singing of Kimigayo, national anthem.

3) Three cheers for the Emperor.

The following bodies will send representatives to the function:-

The Japanese Residents Corporation,

The Japanese Ex-Service Men's Association,

The Japanese Street Unions,

The ladies' organizations,

The various Japanese schools.

Individual visitors will be admitted to the enclosure reserved for the public.

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The following notables will attend:-

Representative of Mr. Ariyoshi, Japanese Minister to China.

Representative of Mr. Ishii, Japanese Consul-General.

Vice Admiral Imamura, Commander-in-Chief of the Third Fleet.

Rear Admiral Uno, Commander of the Japanese Naval Landing Party.

Major General Suzuki, Japanese Military Attache.

Captain Sato, Japanese Naval Attache.

Mr. Yokotake, Japanese Commercial Counsellor.

H. Umemoto.
D. S.

Officer i/c Special Branch.

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REPORT

SHANGHAI MUNICIPAL POLICE
C.I.D. REGISTRY.
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Date April 25, 1934.

Subject (in full) Athletic meeting to be held at the former Tsukinoya Garden on April 29; anniversary of the Japanese Emperor's birthday.

Made by D. S. Umemoto. *Forwarded by* S B Liu A.I.

Between 3.30 p.m. and 5.30 p.m. April 24, a meeting of some 30 representatives of local Japanese street unions was held at the Japanese Club to draw up a programme for an athletic meeting to be held in the compound of the former Tsukinoya Garden on April 29, in commemoration of the birthday anniversary of H.I.M. the Emperor of Japan. There will be 35 events. The proceedings will commence from 11.00 a.m. Theatrical performances will be staged from 1.00 p.m.

Some 30 stalls for the sale of refreshments, food, etc. will be constructed inside the compound along the walls.

As a precautionary measure in order to prevent the admission of undesirable characters, special badges will be issued to members of the street unions and their families. The number of applications for badges received by the office of the local Japanese Amalgamated Association of Street Unions has already reached 9,000. As there are some 28 more street unions which have not yet sent in their applications, it is expected that over 10,000 badges will be issued. A certain number of the visitors will probably enter the Hongkew Park in the afternoon to witness bicycle races.

At 1.00 p.m. April 29, representatives of street unions numbering about 100 carrying street union flags will proceed from the Tsukinoya Garden to the Japanese Central Primary School, Range Road, to attend an official ceremony to be held by the Japanese community. It is learned that these persons will leave the garden in small groups and assemble at the corner of Range and Woosung Roads whence they will proceed in a body to the school compound. Several of the chairmen of street unions are in favour of proceeding from the garden to the school in a form of procession

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and this suggestion will be discussed at the forthcoming meeting of the Preparatory Committee of the athletic meeting. Should it be decided to proceed in a form of procession, an application for the issue of a permit will be submitted to the Municipal Police by the Amalgamated Association of Street Unions.

M Umemoto.
D. S.

Officer i/c Special Branch.

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REPORT

S. No. D 5797

Date April 1934

Subject (in full) Anniversary of the Birthday of H.I.J. Majesty.

Made by and *Forwarded by* D. S. I. Duncan.

In connection with the various functions to be held on April 29 by local Japanese in celebration of the anniversary of the birthday of H.I.J. Majesty, the following officers from the Special Branch will carry out observation duty as under:-

Ceremony and reception at the local Japanese Consulate from 8.30 a.m. to 11 a.m. Reception at the residence of the Japanese Consul-General, 128 Seymour Road, from 11.30 a.m. to 12.30 p.m. Reception at Japanese Club, Boone Road from 7 p.m. to 8 p.m.

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Functions to be held at Hongkew Park, former Tsukinoya Garden, Dixwell Road, and Japanese Primary School, 6 Range Road from 10 a.m. until conclusion of the functions

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SHANGHAI MUNICIPAL POLICE.

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REPORT

SHANGHAI MUNICIPAL POLICE
C.I.D. REGISTRY.
No. D 5797
Date 23/4/1934

Date April 23rd, 1934.

Subject (in full) Celebration to be held on April 29; anniversary of H.I.M. the Japanese Emperor's birthday.

Made by D. S. Umemoto. Forwarded by S B Ku D.I.

I forward herewith a programme concerning various functions in commemoration of H.I.M. the Japanese Emperor's birthday to be held by the Japanese Authorities and the Japanese community on April 29, 1934.

D. S. Umemoto.

Officer i/c Special Branch.

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Programme of various functions to be held on April 29; anniversary of H.I.M. the Japanese Emperor's birthday.

Ceremony at various Japanese schools

9.00 a.m. A ceremonial service will be held by students at the following Japanese schools:-

The Japanese Commercial School, Pingliang Road.
The Eastern Primary School, Pingliang Road.
The Girls' High School, Scott Road.
The Northern Primary School, North Szechuen Road.
The Central Primary School, Range Road.
The Western Primary School, Kiaochow Road.

The proceedings will last about 40 minutes.

9.40 a.m. A ceremony will be observed by Japanese residents in the eastern and western districts at the Eastern and Western Primary Schools. This will be followed by an athletic meeting which will be carried out in the school compounds. The function will last until about noon.

Ceremony and reception at the local Japanese Consulate-General

8.30 a.m. to 10.00 a.m. A ceremony will be solemnized at the local Japanese Consulate-General, which will be attended by the Consular Officials and a large number of Japanese residents.

10.00 a.m. to 11.00 a.m. A reception will be given by Mr. Sugihara, acting Consul-General, to leading members of the Japanese community.

Reception at the residence of the Consul-General

11.30 a.m. to 12.30 p.m. A reception will be given by Mr. Sugihara, acting Consul-General, at the residence of the Consul-General, No. 128 Seymour Road, in honour of members of the Diplomatic and Consular Bodies and leading members of the foreign and Japanese community as well as certain Chinese officials.

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REPORT

SHANGHAI MUNICIPAL POLICE
C. & S. B. REGISTRY.
File No. 5797

Date April 18, 1934

Subject (in full) Parade to be held by the Japanese Naval Landing Party on April 29, 1934.

Made by D. S. Umemoto. *Forwarded by* J B Ku D.I.

Regarding the attached translation of a letter from the Japanese Naval Landing Party, a copy of which was addressed to Dixwell Road Station, requesting permission for the use of Hongkew Park on April 27 and April 29 to hold a parade of the Japanese Third Fleet and the Naval Landing Party in commemoration of the anniversary of H.I.M. the Japanese Emperor's birthday, I have visited Lt.-Commander Yasuda, Staff Officer of the Landing Party, and learned from him that on April 27 rehearsal parades will be carried out in Hongkew Park from 9 a.m. until about 12 noon. On April 29, some 1,500 officers and men will be reviewed by Vice Admiral Imamura, Commander-in-Chief of the Third Fleet. The participants will assemble at the park by 9.30 a.m. The parade will commence at 10.45 a.m. and terminate at about 11.15 a.m.

Invitations have been sent out to local Japanese notables. No foreign naval and military attaches have been invited.

No armoured vehicles will participate in the parade which have hitherto been held on Kiangwan Road. The use of Kiangwan Road is requested by the Naval Authorities simply for the purpose of parking motor-cars transporting visitors.

D. S. Umemoto.
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Officer i/c Special Branch.

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Officer i/c Dixwell Road.

Translation of a letter from the Shanghai Japanese Naval Landing Party.

April 17, 1934.

The Public Works Department,
Shanghai Municipal Cpuncil.

(Copy) Dixwell Road Police Station.

Dear Sirs,

Request for the use of Hongkew Park

It is hereby requested that permission be granted for the use of a part of Kiangwan Road and Hongkew Park at the undermentioned times and dates for the purpose of holding a parade:-

From 9 a.m. to 12 noon, April 27 (Rehearsal parade)
From 9 a.m. to 12 noon, April 29.

The Shanghai Japanese Naval Landing Party.

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SHANGHAI MUNICIPAL POLICE.

REPORT

SHANGHAI MUNICIPAL POLICE
C. & S. DIVISION
Dixwell Road Station,
No. 1
Date 18th. April 1934
File No. 23

Subject (in full) Parades scheduled by Japanese Naval Landing Party in connection with the birthday anniversary of the Emperor of Japan.

Made by D.S.I. White Forwarded by

Sir,

On the 17/4/34 a letter was received from the Japanese Naval Landing Party, addressed to Dixwell Road Station, pertaining to the dates scheduled for parades in connection with the birthday anniversary of the Emperor of Japan, and requesting the services of the Municipal Police in connection therewith.

The times and dates are herewith appended.

Rehersal Parade: 9a.m. to 12 noon. 27/4/34

Actual Parade : 9a.m. to 12noon 29/4/34

It is also learned that the divers Japanese Communal Organizations in Shanghai are organising an athletic meeting, which is scheduled to be held in the Japanese Gardens, off Dixwell Road, O.O.L. on the 29/4/34.

R.J. White
D.S.I.

~~D.D.O. "C".~~

Officer i/c. Special Branch.

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SHANGHAI MUNICIPAL POLICE
C. & S. B. REGISTRY.
No. D 5797
Date 15/4/34

April 15, 1934. Morning Translation.

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CELEBRATION OF JAPANESE EMPEROR'S BIRTHDAY

At 1.30 p.m. yesterday the Celebration Committee of 50 persons including Mr. Sugihara, Acting Japanese Consul-General, and Mr. Yasui, Chairman of the Executive Committee of the Japanese Residents Corporation, held a meeting at the Japanese Club to make arrangements for the celebration of the Japanese Emperor's Birthday on April 29. As a result of the meeting it was decided that the following programme will be followed:-

An official celebration will be held at 1.30 p.m. at the Japanese school on Range Road at which Minister Ariyoshi, Vice-admiral Imamura, Rear-admiral Uno, Military and Naval attaches and other public bodies will attend.

A dinner party of about 350 persons will be held at the Japanese Club at 7p.m.

At the Japanese Consulate receptions will be given to the staff, to Japanese residents and to foreigners at 8 a.m., at 10 a.m., and at 11.30 a.m.

An exhibition will be held at the Japanese school on Range Road.

An athletic meeting will be held at the Japanese school in the Western District.

A review of Japanese marines and sailors will be held at Hongkew Park at 10.45 a.m.

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TWO JAPANESE COMMITTED FOR TRIAL

Yesterday at the Japanese Consular Court two Japanese named H. Iuchi, age 47, residing at No 9 Tong Ching Li off Chapoo Road and S. Shomura, age 45, residing at No. 6 Lane 44 Yuhang Road, were committed for trial on a charge of smuggling a quantity of artificial silk into China.

SHANGHAI TELEPHONE COMPANY TO ENGAGE JAPANESE

It is reported that the Shanghai Telephone Company has decided to engage a Japanese girl in order to avoid trouble between the Company and the Japanese subscribers. The Japanese Residents Corporation has been requested by the Company to recommend one at the pay of about 70 or 80 dollars per month.

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SHANGHAI MUNICIPAL POLICE.

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REPORT

SHANGHAI MUNICIPAL POLICE
File No. D 5292
Date 13/4/34

Date April 13th 1934.

Subject (in full) Celebration of the Japanese Emperor's brithday on April 29, 1934.

Made by D. S. Umemoto. *Forwarded by* DBR D.I.

At 5 p.m. April 5, a meeting was held at the Japanese Club, Boone Road, by some 35 chairmen of various Japanese street unions to discuss plans for the celebration of His Majesty the Japanese Emperor's birthday on April 29. In view of a decision having been reached at a meeting held recently by representatives of the local Japanese Consular Authorities and public bodies to the effect that no public entertainment would be carried out officially, it was decided at the meeting to hold an athletic meeting in commemoration of the birthday at the former Tsukinoya Garden, Dixwell Road, under the auspices of the local Japanese Amalgamated Association of Street Unions. The attendance will also be entertained to theatrical performances which will be staged at the garden.

The function will be open to members of the Japanese street unions and their families and will be held from 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. April 29. In case of inclement weather, the theatrical performances will be given at the Kabukiza Theatre, North Szechuen Road Extension.

Further meetings will be convened by the Amalgamated Association of Street Unions to draw up a programme and to devise ways and means for the maintenance of order at the ground.

The various police authorities will be requested to police the vicinity after the necessary arrangements have been completed.

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D.S. Umemoto.

D. S. Umemoto

Deputy Commissioner,
Special Branch.

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SHANGHAI MUNICIPAL POLICE.

S. 2, Special Branch.

REPORT

Date April 11, 1934.

SHANGHAI MUNICIPAL POLICE
File No. D 5797
C. & S. B. REGISTRY.

Subject (in full) Celebration of the Japanese Emperor's birthday on April 29.

Made by D. S. Umemoto. *Forwarded by* S B Lu S.I.

In connection with the celebration of the forthcoming anniversary of His Majesty the Japanese Emperor's birthday on April 29, a meeting was held recently at the Japanese Club, Boone Road, by some 30 representatives of the local Japanese Consular Authorities and various public bodies. The function was presided over by Mr. I. Ishii, local Japanese Consul-General.

It was decided that a ceremonial service will be solemnized at 1 p.m. April 29 by the Japanese community in the compound of the Japanese Central Primary School, No. 6 Range Road. The service will be presided over by Mr. Ishii, Consul-General, and attended by Japanese notables and representatives of various institutions and public bodies as well as members of the Japanese public.

Apart from this function, a ceremony in commemoration of the anniversary will be observed during the morning at the local Japanese Consulate-General which will be attended by Japanese residents. Between 11.30 a.m. and 12.30 p.m. a reception will be held at the residence of the Japanese Consul-General at No. 128 Seymour Road to which foreign and Chinese officials and prominent residents as well as a number of Japanese notables will be invited.

The Japanese Naval Authorities are contemplating holding a parade of the Japanese Third Fleet and the Naval Landing Party at Hongkew Park during the afternoon.

Certain Japanese residents were in favour of celebrating the day on a grand scale at such a place as Hongkew Park as on previous occasions, however, it was decided at the meeting that no public entertainment would be held at the park this year.

Arrangements are being made to hold entertainments at Japanese schools in various districts.

During the evening a reception will be held in the Japanese